

Local News Happenings

in and about Town

APPOINT ANOTHER SPEED DETECTOR

Board of Safety Selects Axel B. Tholander—Police Were Busy in August.

The few remaining fire horses in the city's fire stations will be in the horse parade planned for a part of the events of Labor day in South Bend. H. A. Pershing, of the Humane society, asked the board of public safety at its regular meeting Friday morning to allow the horses to be placed in line and the request was granted.

Axel B. Tholander, patrolman, was appointed the city's second motorcycle officer, the board having purchased a new machine as provided by the city council in passing upon the board's 1915 budget of appropriations. Tholander began duty Thursday. He and Patrolman Wesolek will be the official "speed detectors" of the South Bend police department, each patrolling one side of the city.

Monthly reports from the police and fire departments were also filed at the meeting, as was a statement from City Sealer Byron B. Miller.

The police report showed that there were 351 arrests in August, of which 157 were for intoxication. Of the latter a large percentage were from Michigan dry territories, and were practically all assessed fines and jail sentences in city court. One man from Niles was sent to the state penal farm near Putnam, Ill. to serve a sentence of 140 days.

Three other men were sent to the penal farm through the month, two less than were given similar punishment in July. Three women were sent to the correctional department of the Indiana Women's prison at Indianapolis, and two insane patients were taken care of by the department.

The patrol wagon had a heavy month, making a total of 278 calls for police, ambulance and auxiliary duties. The patrol traveled 1,208 miles, a record for the year. The police and detective departments recovered property to the value of \$902 and returned it to its proper owners. The incidental expenses of the department was \$117.48.

The fire department made 98 runs, according to Fire Chief Sibrel's report, traveled 190 miles, laid 11,200 feet of hose and used 271 gallons of chemical fluid. There were 27 alarms, and the estimated total value of buildings at risk was \$38,685, while the estimated value of their contents was \$45,910. The loss on buildings was estimated at \$1,177.25, while the loss on contents was \$1,920.48. The incidental expenses of the department were \$158.25.

City Sealer Miller reported that he had made 372 inspections out of which 40 scales and other measures were found faulty. He reported that there had been 1,051 producers on the public market through the month.

EXPECT NO DELAY IN CARRYING OUT PROGRAM

Various Events Will Be Run Off at Oliver Field, According to Schedule.

Interest in South Bend's first play festival to be held Saturday afternoon at the J. D. Oliver field has begun to grow. A record breaking attendance is expected, and it is believed that the largest crowd that has ever been on the Oliver field since its opening last July will be on hand for the festival. Progress on the preparation of the program has continued during the week, and all the units announced in the program last Wednesday have been rehearsed preparatory for the final staging Saturday. At the exhibitions last week delays were occasioned by the failure of the participants to be ready for their parts in the drills and games as soon as another was concluded. This will be avoided Saturday as all the playground directors will be on hand, and all details have been carefully worked out by Recreation Director Barnes so that there will be no confusion of any sort.

Award of the interplayground trophies will be made at the festival. The following are the names of the winners of the leagues: Intermediate indoor baseball, Sample boys; junior indoor baseball, Sample boys; senior indoor baseball, Sample boys; intermediate volleyball, Kaley boys; intermediate volleyball, Sample girls; intermediate bat ball, Sample girls.

WIFE WAS DESERTED ON THE FOURTH DAY

Mrs. Lillian Kent Further Charges Husband Owes Her \$125 in Suit.

Charging that her husband abandoned her Aug. 29, 1915, after lying with her only four days, Lillian Kent petitioned the superior court Friday morning to grant her a divorce from John J. Kent. She says also that the defendant owes her \$125. She asks for the return of her maiden name of Lillian A. Patches. She asks for a divorce from John J. Kent on the grounds that the 18 years of their married life have been years of continual fighting and quarreling. She says that her husband has been in the habit of striking her and of calling her vile names. The petitioner also seeks \$1,000 alimony and \$10 support money.

Lillian A. Patches petitions for a divorce from Albert M. Patches and for the return of her maiden name of Lillian A. Bowman. She says that the defendant deserted her after two years of married life.

FILES HOSPITAL REPORT. The monthly report of James A. Duggan, superintendent of the St. Joseph County Tuberculosis hospital, shows that there are 25 patients at the institution of which number only three are from Mishawaka. There has been \$76 collected from patients during the month.

DEATHS.

MRS. EFFIE L. MILLER SEESE. Mrs. Effie L. Miller Seese, nee Wanstah, Ind., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Miller, 2306 Kenwood av., died at Epworth hospital Friday morning after an illness of several years. She is survived by her parents, one son, Loyd, and six brothers and sisters, as follows: Mrs. John Wolf, Lulu E. Miller, Mrs. Nora M. Stinger, Clarence E. Miller and Clyde O. Miller of South Bend; William Miller of Culver, Ind. Mrs. Seese was born in Argos, Ind., June 1, 1878. Funeral services will be held at the residence of her parents Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The body may be viewed until the hour of the funeral. Burial will take place in Riverview cemetery.

FUNERALS

JAMES STROBER. The funeral of James H. Strober, 1219 Colfax, who died Sunday night at the Epworth hospital, will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Olivett African M. E. church, Monroe st. Rev. Eli Stewart officiating. Burial will be in the Riverview cemetery.

SERIES OF CHARGES DISMISSED IN COURT

Neighborhood Quarrel Lead to Arrests—All Parties Accused the Others.

Charges of assault and battery filed against Victor Hillman, 104 N. Hill st., by Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith of the same address, were dismissed in city court Friday morning at the motion of the prosecuting attorney. Similar charges against the Smiths, filed by Hillman, and against Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baer, 210 E. Wenger st., were also dismissed.

The cases were the result of a rumormongering in the Hillman home a month ago, at which time Mrs. Rose Hillman, mother of Victor, was alleged to have assaulted Mrs. Baer because she entertained Mrs. Baer in her home. Mrs. Hillman was fined \$25 and costs at that time. Victor Hillman was alleged to have taken a hand in the fight with a carpet sweeper, and during the ensuing melee Mrs. Smith was knocked down.

The troubles of the Hillman family have been in every court in the city, starting with charges of assault and battery filed against Victor Hillman by his father, H. W. Hillman, several months ago. Mr. and Mrs. Hillman have applied for divorce in the St. Joseph county superior court.

OWLS TO BUILD HOSPITAL

Will Be Used For Caring For Tubercular Members.

George D. Beroth, supreme secretary of the Order of Owls, left Thursday for Gayville, Vermont, at Port Huron, Mich., Montreal, Que., and Montpelier, Vt., he will be joined by various trustees of the Order of Owls who, with him, will inspect and complete the purchase of 1,400 acres of land in Windsor county, Vermont, for the Order of Owls.

The property consists of tablelands and hillside located on the White river. It is a very beautiful tract, having an orchard of 4,000 sugar maple trees, besides forests of poplar and spruce. The tract is crossed by three trout streams and rabbits, quail, deer and all other game are abundant. On every side can be seen peaks of the white mountains. Buildings will immediately erected and the tract will be used as a tuberculosis sanatorium for members of the order.

SUES FOR POSSESSION

Payments Have Not Been Made. Plaintiff Alleges.

Suit to recover possession of a lot in Orchard Heights addition on Michigan st. was brought in the superior court Friday morning by Calvert H. Deffres against Alice O. Keiser, George W. Kiser and others. It is alleged that there is \$3,822 due on the property which was sold for \$5,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

From the Records of the Indiana Title & Loan Co.

Emma Jackson to Francis A. Smith and wife, Sept. 1, lot 43 in replat of Lee's 2nd addition, \$81.

Solomon B. Thornton and wife to Zell Z. Spencer and wife, Aug. 30, lot 92 in O'Neill's 2nd addition to Mishawaka, \$100.

Lillian A. Kent to John B. Weber, Aug. 17, lot 68 in Weber's proposed 2nd addition, \$200.

Marion B. Quilhot and John H. her husband, to Foster B. Curtis, Aug. 6, lot 12 Mathias Heinzman's addition, \$4,500.

Foster B. Curtis to John H. Quilhot, Aug. 6, same lot above described, \$4,500.

Clyde M. Shafer and wife to Owen O. Knepper and Edwin G. Knepper, Aug. 20, lot 74 South Side addition, \$1,000.

Owen B. Knepper and wife to Nation Lumber Co., Sept. 2, lot 74 in South Side addition, \$1,800.

John H. Quilhot to Anna Murray, Sept. 2, lot 70 in Hartman and Miller's addition, \$400.

Ann M. Studebaker, et al., to Jan Burzynski and wife, Aug. 24, lot 849 3rd Plat Summit place, \$300.

Alexander H. Quick and wife to Ivan C. Quick, Aug. 28, east one-half of lot 5 in Poppendick's 1st addition, \$450.

Eliza Nordwike to Alma G. Hay, Aug. 23, tract of land in Liberty township, \$1,000.

EXHIBITS BIG PEACH.

A home grown Elberta peach weighing half a pound was exhibited at The News-Times office today by M. Cole, 121 Elm st. The fruit was but one from a tree that is loaded to the breaking point with similar specimens.

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ALL ARE ENTITLED TO EQUAL CHANCE

Precocious Child Should be Given as Many Opportunities as the Dull Student.

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not help, and they that are afflicted can not help, the fact that there is so much feeble-mindedness, and imbecility. Those words should not be words of reproach. It is not the child's fault. He has inherited it. They are not to blame, the blame belongs back generations ago when their fathers and mothers violated the laws of God and sinned.

Must Know Pupils. "Children have defective sense lines—physical again. They may be partly deaf, and yet I have known teachers who knew that their pupils were hard of hearing to permit them to sit on the back seat of a school room, where they could grasp nothing of the lesson going on. The child whose sense line of seeing is partially destroyed, and which is not taken care of by the teacher, will in due time produce stupidity.

"These are physical lines, and the mental ones are those that are ignored more than the others. The mental retardation which the boy or girl receives in the class room, is one of the most serious problems in pedagogy today."

Don't Forget the Letter. "You can send the picture post card, but don't forget the letter home." This was the keynote to Dr. W. D. Henderson's morning address before the county institute in discussing the "Fine Art of Letter Writing."

There are three forms of letters, the speaker said. They are the business letter, the formal social letter and the letter that carries the message.

"Letter writing was primarily an art and a science. There is now more science than art, for the art has almost disappeared entirely. Business letters should be short, pointed and definite. The business man considers the letter as a basis upon which he judges the qualifications of the writer for the position wanted, if the letters happens to be an application.

"I would have you teachers instruct your pupils in letter writing. Dictate letters to them. Make them understand the purpose of the letters, and finally have them write a business letter. You must correct them, hand them back, and point out the mistakes. You can create an interest in the class room in letter writing. Show them a business letter that you have received, a real business letter, not one copied from the books. Teach them to write telegrams, and then finally ads.

Teach Finer Points. "Furthermore show them how to fold the business letter. Then go further and instruct them in writing the social note which calls for a formal acceptance of an invitation, or a formal refusal to a formal note. Teach them the finer points. Many a young man or woman would have been saved much embarrassment, had he known how to answer the formal letter.

"And lastly, I would have you urge the children never to forget the letter home. Send the post card occasionally, but don't let them substitute for the letter. I would have you train your children in this direction. On every side can be seen peaks of the white mountains. Buildings will immediately erected and the tract will be used as a tuberculosis sanatorium for members of the order.

During the time that the speaker was discussing the various features of letter writing he demonstrated his lecture with illustrations of the proper manner in which the different forms of letters should be addressed, and folded.

Government by anticipation, government by participation, and government by mediation were the principles of discipline urged by Dr. W. D. Henderson in his tenth and last lecture before the teachers at the county institute Friday afternoon. His parting words of advice to the teachers was that when disciplinary problems were presented, and that the teachers did not know what to do to control the situation, they should do nothing until they thought the matter out.

FORMER SOUTH BEND MAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Frank French is Mixed With Forgeries and Tries to Shoot Wife and Self at Penn. Mich.

CASSOPOLIS, Mich., Sept. 3.—Frank French, a former Cassopolis young man but now living on a farm at Penn, attempted to shoot his wife and then himself when he was charged with having issued forged notes to the amount of \$3,200. French had used the name of his father-in-law, Israel Hartsell, a wealthy Penn farmer on the notes. The young man escaped criminal prosecution only through the kindness of Hartsell who settled all the obligations.

The notes had been issued at various times covering a period of several months. One note for \$500 was given to a Cassopolis garage man for a second-hand automobile. Notes aggregating \$1,600 were given at the Cassopolis National bank and for \$300 at the John Atkinson implement store. All were signed by French and bore the name of Hartsell as endorser. Discovery of the forgeries was made when Hartsell began an investigation of the automobile purchase which he regarded as a bad purchase for one in French's circumstances.

French, who is 35 years old, is the son of the late Henry C. French, who lost his fortune in the Cassopolis Manufacturing Co. and a few years ago. He has been active in church work in recent years. Not long ago he threatened to prosecute his neighbors because they trespassed on Sunday.

Frank French is well known in this city where he was raised and where relatives are now living. Early in the summer his sister, Mrs. Helen F. Huston, was released from the cus-

Special for Saturday
Women's Fleece Union Suits 50c each. Medium weight, all styles. The greatest possible bargains.
Radmore Pure Silk Boot Hose. These come in all desirable colors, 50c pair.

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Just arrived direct from fashion's center, New York. Tomorrow we offer them, 15 models, **\$15 at Special Price**

Materials represent quality in fine Serges, Poplins and Whipcords with fur trimmings on collars and cuffs, the latest idea for the new fall suits.

Models include the new box pleated Norfolks with belts and patch pockets, smart box effects with braid trimming. Semi-tailored staple models and also the full pleated effects with braid inserts in back.

Colors are Navy, Brown, Black and Green.

Special Price tomorrow \$15 Saturday at

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We are headquarters for the Wooltex Suits, Coats and Skirts. No better made in America. You'll pay no more for a Wooltex Suit now than six or eight weeks later. Prices from \$25.00, \$30, \$35, \$45.

New Fall Dress Goods

To those interested in making their own dresses or having them made will find here all the latest weaves and shades for fall and winter wear at prices most attractive.



New Fall Suitings

All Wool Plaids, Diagonals, Granites, Batistes and Mixed Gray, 36 inch, at 50c yard.

French and Storm Serges in a fine range of stylish Plaids, Checks and Stripes, 40 and 42 inches wide, wonderful values, 59c yard.

New Serges in Black, Brown and Navy mixed, 42 and 44 inch. Special values at 85c yd.

Fram Tazzo Calypso and two tone Plaid Suitings, 42 in., superior qualities at \$1.00 yd.

Scotch Suitings in mixtures and checks, 54 in., qualities unusual at \$1.00 yd.

Special—36 in. Storm Serge for Children's School Dresses, all desired shades. A great value at 39c yd.

Pictorial Review Patterns

conceded the most up to date, will help you select the dress or suit desired made in any of the above materials. We can help you select not only the pattern but materials and all accessories required to complete the costume.

New Line of Flannels—Unshrinkable. The "Viyella" is everything desired in softness, wearing quality and free from shrinking. Just the right materials for all waists. Colors are plain or dainty stripes, 31 inches wide. A remarkable value, 69c. yd.



New Tailored Hats

for early fall including the new soft velvet shapes.

They are here in wonderful variety.

Prices \$3.95 & \$5

body of the sheriff through habeas corpus proceedings. She had been adjudged insane and had escaped. It was said that the insanity proceedings against her had been instituted by her brother, Frank French, and her husband.

STRIKERS ATTACK POLICE
Attempt is Made to Keep Men From Returning to Work.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 3.—Rioting broke out today among the strikers at the West End plant of the Crane Co., when a crowd of 500 attacked the police. Armed with stones,

sticks, revolvers and other weapons, they inflicted serious cuts and bruises on three policemen, and minor injuries on others during the fight.

Tony Moskoski and Steve Shusen-ski were arrested as leaders in the trouble and later sentenced to one year each in the police court when arraigned on a charge of breach of the peace and assault.

ALLEGES MONEY IS DUE.
Suit to collect \$85 alleged to be due on a note has been filed in the superior court by the First National bank against the American Casting Co.

Our Tea Room

is now under new management. Service will be given the closest attention to assure quickness and still maintain quality.
Luncheons Daily 11:30 to 5.
Special Supper Saturday 5:30 to 7:00.
Afternoon Tea with Sandwiches and Ice Cream.

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ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS

Unusual Value

characterizes all Royal Worcester Corsets. To illustrate—The corset fabrics are of best quality, tested for strength and wear, and will not rip or tear—the clasp will not "turn in" and pinch at waist—the bones in reinforced pockets will not annoy by pinching through.

Hose supporters, trimming, in fact, everything entering into the making must be up to our high standard.

Satisfy that desire for a truly perfect corset.

Prices ranging from \$1.00 to \$3.00.



A Clean-up of Corsets

Tomorrow we offer a lot of corsets of low and medium bust and long skirt, made of tricot and coutil—corsets that sold regularly up to \$3.50. Tomorrow special \$1.00.

The new fall models of Henderson celebrated corsets are here front and back lace. Prices from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Hosiery for Children

Nothing excels the wearing quality of Broncho Buster hose for children. Fast black, heavy ribbed, 2 pairs for 25c.

Special Values in Waists

Crepe de Chine Waists. Pleated fronts, long sleeves, 2 in. collar; navy, black, white and green. Regular \$5.00 values at \$3.98.

Black Pussy Willow Waists. A special \$5.00 value offered tomorrow only in black Pussy Willow Silk, at \$3.98.

Crepe Georgette Waists at \$3.98. Silk lace trimmings, long sleeves, black, white and flesh.

Tub Silk Waists at \$2.98, \$3.98. Splendid qualities, long sleeves, high or low collars.



GET MONTH OF GRACE

Anthracite Coal Rate is Effective in December.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The interstate commerce commission today announced that it had postponed the date making effective its order in the anthracite coal case from Oct. 1 to Dec. 1. By its decision in the anthracite case the commission cut \$8,000,000 from the yearly revenue of the railroads in the coal regions of Pennsylvania.

PRISONERS HAVE CHOLERA

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Twenty-three prison camps in Germany in the provinces of Silesia, Brandenburg, Posen and Ziska are infected with cholera, according to an announcement here today by the United States public health service.

A world wide investigation has just been completed by the service. Cholera was found in Africa, Russia, Ceylon, China, Egypt, Dutch East India, India, Philippines, The Balkan and near Venice and Leghorn Italy. As a result vessels from those places will be denied landing at any American ports.

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